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WANTED.

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, three insertions, 50 cents; six insertions, 75 cents.

WANTED—Help wanted in all kinds of sewing, if not understood and wish to learn, apply Douglas street, next to the Royal Hotel, Boston Tailor. oct9-4t

WANTED—A partner for an established business, to take charge of a branch store. Some knowledge of dry goods preferred. Capital required about $1000. Address "Store," Box 351, P. O., Victoria. oct10-3t

WANTED—A situation as Clerk or Assistant in a mercantile office. Address "P," Times office. oct10

WANTED—By a young woman, lately from Ontario, a position as domestic in a private family. Address "Domestic," Times office. oct8 tf

WANTED—A Jersey laborer, lately from England, wants employment. Is accustomed to taking care of all kinds of stock. Good references can be given. Apply to James Eccles, Vancouver House. oct

WANTED—Two Scotchmen. Apply immediately to Lewt the Tailor. oct 9

WANTED—By a single gentleman, board and lodging in a private family. Room must be well ventilated and heated. Address, giving location, Q. C., Times office. oct

WANTED—A girl to take care of a baby and assist in light housework. Address "L," Times office. oct 6t

WANTED—A woman to cook and do general housework in a small, respectable family. Apply at Times office. sept11 tf

WANTED—Wanted immediately, a good Cabinetmaker also a Partsmaker. Steady work at regular prices. Address "S. B.," New Westminster. sept11 tf

Board and Lodging.

THE undersigned having opened a first-class Boarding and Lodging House, hope to inform the public that she has accommodation for a limited number of persons. MRS. J. KING, Douglas street, between Johnson and Yates (formerly McKeon House.) aug3 tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One "Hall's" Safe, new. For particulars apply to Frank Campbell. oct9w

FOR SALE—BUGGY, CHEAP—For sale, or simply with hack. Only been in use two months. For further particulars address S. J., Times office. sep 9

FOR SALE, very cheap, a small Farm on one of the islands, together with furniture in house. Apply for particulars to S. P. Mills, Langley street, Victoria. sep22

FOR SALE—One gentle driving Horse; one set single harness; one two-wheel Dog Cart, nearly new, for sale cheap. Apply at the Times office. sep29 tf

FOR SALE—For sale or to let, a most desirable business location, being the new building situated between Captain Hayward's and the Globe Hotel, Esquimalt. Property fronts on Wharf street, and rear faces the Dry Dock. For further particulars, apply at THE TIMES office. sep 10

FOR SALE—A fine span of American mares, six years old, well matched, weight between 2200 and 2300 pounds. Apply to the Cowichan Lumber Yard. Aug19-tf

LOST.

LOST—Between Esquimalt and Government House, a Document, in black leather case. Anybody returning the same to the Bandmaster of H. M. S. Triumph will be rewarded. oct 9 tf

LOST—One heavy working Horse, bay, well-spot, white face, branded "G. P." on the left shoulder. Also, a large driving Horse, bay, small star on forehead, left hind foot white, recently shoeing work on left shoulder. A liberal reward will be paid for recovery. Apply to LAREIN, CONNOLLY & CO. oct12

$5 REWARD—Lost, last night, on Pemberton street, a Gold Bracelet. Any one finding the same will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at Times office. oct 11

MEETINGS.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMPERANCE HALL every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 8 o'clock precisely. HENRY BUDGE, President.

THE Y. W. C. T. U. OF VICTORIA MEETS every third Monday in each month at Temperance Hall, on Pandora st., at 2.30 p. m. A good programme and suitable time at every meeting. Newspapers cordially invited. sep 7

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Notice to the Public.

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of

Books, Stationery, Cutlery, Fancy Goods, Etc.,

Will be continued

At COST, for a short time only.

C. MORTON.

N. B.—A large assortment of BLANK BOOKS. sep21

First Class Property for Sale IN Cowichan District,

CONSISTING of Fifty acres of good arable land, about two miles from Cowichan wharf. The land is well adapted for fruit growing, poultry raising, etc.

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To parties in search of a good homestead this is a first class chance.

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sep29 Real Estate Agent, Victoria.

THE BANQUET

On Saturday Night at the Driard Hotel Largely Attended.

Eloquent Speech by His Excellency the Governor General of Canada.

As announced the civic banquet tendered His Excellency the Governor General, took place on Saturday evening in the Driard Hotel, and was in every respect an unqualified success. Many regrets were expressed, however, that the affair took place on Saturday, for the length of time occupied in serving the several courses, which was close upon two hours, compelled the proposer of toasts, as well as the responders, to abridge their remarks, a fact that many regretted. Towards the last the balance of the unproposed toasts were speedily disposed of, for just as the national anthem had been played by the band the clock struck the hour announcing that Sunday morning had been reached. Preparations had been made to seat ninety guests and that number were present. Each gentleman was assigned a seat, and on these being taken, His Worship Mayor Bithet entered followed by His Excellency, Admiral Seymour, and His Honor Lieutenant-Gov. Cornwall. Once assembled in the room rising to their feet while the distinguished party were taking their seats the band playing "God Save the Queen."

His Worship, R. P. Rithet, Esq., Mayor, occupied the chair. On his right were His Excellency the Governor General, Sir Culme Seymour, His Honor Mr. Justice Gray, Lord Melgund, E. Crowe Baker, M. P., Hon. Wm. Smithe, premier of British Columbia, Hon. J. W. Trutch, C. M. G., R. Dunsmuir, Esq., M. P. P., W. C. Ward, Esq., Manager Bank of British Columbia, and others. His Worship was supported on the left by His Honor Lieut.-Governor Cornwall, Sir Matthew B. Begbie, Chief Justice of the province, Hon. Mr. Hope, N. Shakespeare, M. P., Attorney-General Davie, Capt. Rose, Hon. S. Duck, Capt. Wolfenden, Lieut. Gaeforth, Capt. Tatlow, Hon. A. N. Richards, Dr. Ash and others. The first vice chair was occupied by Councillor Earle, while Councillor Robert Ward discharged the duties of 2nd vice. U. S. Consul Stevens occupied a seat in close proximity to head of the table; near him were seated Mr. Smith, the new manager of the Hudson Bay company on this coast, next to him being Mr. R. H. Alexander, manager of the Hastings Saw Mill Co., Burrard Inlet. On the right of the 1st chair sat J. H. Todd, Esq., chairman of the B. C. Board of Trade, and on his left Alex. McLean, Esq., J. P. The invited guests were the Governor General and his suite, Admiral Seymour and his staff, His Honor Governor Cornwall, Capt. Rose, Staff Commander Branch, Flag Lieut. Gaeforth, Capt. Halifax, Mr. Robinson, Secretary to Admiral Seymour, U. S. Consul Stevens and Capt. Tatlow.

Amongst others present were observed the following gentlemen: J. H. Innes, Esq., naval yard; and Wm. Fisher, Esq., J. F. Equimalt; H. B. Crosdaile, G. Tacey, D. R. Harris, Wm. Heathorn, Jas. Fell, ex-Mayor Carey, Dr. Milne, Dr. Ash, R. E. Jackson, A. Cowan, C. Barnes, Coun. Braden, Coun. McKillican, M. T. Johnson, W. Bulles, T. H. Tye, Wm. Chudley, Thos. Russell, D. W. Higgins, Rod'k. Finlayson, Esq., H. F. Heisterman, H. E. Langley, J. McFarland, D. Oppenheimer, J. Davies, A. Gilmore, Wm. Dalby, A. E. Green, Dr. Matthews, T. R. Smith, Chas. Hayward, J. Bonsowitz, T. Ibbbs, W. T. Drake, F. S. Barnard, J. C. McLagan, E. Y. Bodwell, Jean Coigdeirippe, H. Van Volkenburgh, Dr. Helmcken, G. A. Keefer, R. McQuade, L. Goodacre, H. Helmcken, Jno. Boyd, C. E. Renouf, Col. Appourt, and many more.

THE MENU.

SOUP.

Mock Turtle. Colbert Royale.

Hors D'oeuvres.

Shrimps Salad. Olives. Anchovies. Beets. Pickles and Sauces.

RELEVES.

Salmon a la Chambord. Halibut a la Hollandaise.

COLD MEATS.

Chicken Mayonnaise a la Valliere. Beef Tongue a la St. Lambert. Grouse Pates a la Lucullus. Westphalia Ham a la Souverain.

ENTREMETS.

Jellies au Champagne. Plum Pudding. Blanc Mange.

DESSERT.

Grapes, Pears, Apples, Assorted Cakes, &c.

After ample justice had been done the excellent repast provided by mine host of the Driard, which fully sustained the enviable reputation this famous hotel has attained throughout the continent for its excellent appointments, before proceeding with the regular toast list His Worship read a letter of apology from Dr. Helmcken, regretting his inability to be present. He referred to the completion of the C. P. R. as but the commencement of many advantages that would yet accrue to the province and the Dominion. Amongst them were cheaper cablegrams, control by the government of the telegraph, telephone and other systems, and a reduction in tariff rates. His Worship then proposed the Queen, which was duly responded to, as was also the toast of the Prince of Wales and the Royal Family, the National Anthem and "God Bless the Prince of Wales" being played for each by the band, which was in attendance in the adjoining room.

His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, proposed by His Worship, was received with great enthusiasm, the band playing "Hail to the Chief and Rule Britannia." In proposing this toast His Worship said that he had now the honor and unfeigned pleasure of proposing the guest of the evening. He felt that it was hardly necessary to preface it with any lengthened remarks to ensure for it a proper reception at the hands of those present, as he was sure that he but expressed the sentiments of the people of Victoria when he said that they have experienced the greatest pleasure in extending to His Excellency a hearty welcome on this his first visit to this province. In availing himself of so early an opportunity of visiting British Columbia and this city, by the Canadian Pacific railway, His Excellency has shown an interest in this part of the Dominion which is highly gratifying, and he was convinced it was greatly appreciated by the people generally. It was matter for regret, that His Excellency's stay in the city had been a very short one, but he ventured to hope that he may now have become sufficiently interested to create a desire on his part to pay us another and longer visit at an early date, bringing with him Lady Lansdowne.

HIS EXCELLENCY'S SPEECH.

On rising to respond to the toast, His Excellency was received with applause. He said that this demonstration added one more to the many acts of kindness and hospitality he had received at the hands of Victorians, and felt that he could but imperfectly express his gratitude for the same. He felt it unnecessary to offer the conventional apology of being unaccustomed to public speaking, for those who had watched his progress since leaving Ottawa, and his public utterances, must be impressed with the strong family resemblance they all bore to each other. He hoped, however, that he would be able to express to his hearers his thanks, as holder of the Queen's commission in this country, for the manner in which advantage had been taken of his visit in order to extend to me a welcome of which I deeply appreciate the significance. I feel, indeed, that whatever may be my shortcomings I am at least secure of your indulgence as the representative of one who having in her public career acquired a knowledge of public affairs greater probably than that of any living statesman has yet known how to observe in the strictest manner the limits of her constitutional position, (loud applause) a sovereign whose private life has been an example in all those qualities which are dearest to English men and English women throughout the world. It is perhaps true to say that in the eyes of her subjects hereditary occupies a position distinct from and greater than that which she fills in ours. Because while in our eyes she is regarded primarily as the queen of that little group of islands in which we have our home, in your eyes she stands out clearly as the ruler of that great empire of which Great Britain is but a component part, as the visible proof of that union which connects not only Canada but also our great Indian, Australian and African colonies, in one empire the like of which the world has never seen—no, nor shall see to the end of time. (Great applause.) For myself, I may say that my

VISIT TO BRITISH COLUMBIA

is the fulfillment of an ambition which has been present to my mind ever since I entered this country. Perhaps having during my first year visited the maritime provinces, and planted a foot on one Canadian ocean, I wished to plant the other foot in another Canadian ocean during my second year of office. Perhaps I was also tempted by the fact that British Columbia is within my experience the only country in the world with regard to which no visitor has—to my knowledge, at any rate—ever complained that his experience fell short of his expectations. (Applause.) I need not, however, weary you further with explanations of the reasons which led me to come, and it is, perhaps, enough to say that when I found out that my visit to the Northwest was to bring me within two days of the British Columbia coast, and that I was actually to travel over a considerable number of miles of British Columbia territory in the mountains, I made up my mind that it would be distasteful to me and discourteous to you if I did not push on as far as the capital of the province. His Excellency here referred to the altered condition of affairs since his friend and predecessor, Lord Dufferin had visited the province. That noble lord had expressed the hope that his next visit would be by rail when he revisited the country. He felt sure it would be a pleasure to Lord Dufferin to know that had it not been for an unforeseen spell of bad weather the line would by this time have been open from end to end. It has been a source of great disappointment to me that for this reason I have been unable on my way back to take part in the laying of the last rail, in accordance with the kindly wish which had been expressed by the directors. Under the genial skies which have lately shone over us the work will progress with renewed rapidity, and no doubt the time which has to elapse before the last rail is laid may now be measured, if not by days at least by weeks.

GRAND MOUNTAIN SCENERY AND MAN'S INGENUITY.

I well remember, said His Excellency that it was said to me when I was on the point of starting on my journey across the mountains that the scenery was such that man could not help feeling himself very small when he found himself face to face with its grandeurs. There was a great deal of truth in my friend's observation. I cannot conceive any sight more impressive than that of the great barrier which nature has interposed between this province and the rest of the Dominion. But, sir, when we have admitted this may we not say something in acknowledgement of the determination and skill which man has shown in attacking these barriers, penetrating these mountain fastnesses, and in bridging those mountain torrents. For my part, while my first feeling disposes me to bow my head reverently before the stupendous monuments which nature has erected in these regions, I feel bound to say something for the enterprise and perseverance of those who have carried out this work, undeterred by physical obstacles upon a country a great part of which the foot even of the Indian hunter has not left a trace. It will be a perpetual monument to the spirit and determination of Canadian pluck and enterprise to celebrate an unparalleled feat in the world's annals of railroad construction.

COMMERCIAL PROSPERITY.

It has given me much pleasure to observe the confidence with which your people look forward to the results which the completion of the line is likely to ensure to them. For my own part, I do not hesitate to say that, whether we regard it from the point of view of this province or from that of the Dominion, or, again, from that of the British empire, its consequences are likely to be of the utmost moment. To your province, the completion of the line means commercial proximity to the rest of the Dominion; it means an accessible market for the produce of your fisheries, your mines and your forests. Let me say one word more, especially in regard to the latter. The subject is one which has occupied my attention a good deal since I have been in the Dominion, partly in consequence of enquiries which have been addressed to me by the Imperial government. The conclusion which has forced itself upon me is to the effect that there is in progress a very considerable and alarming shrinkage in the timber supply of the world. The timber producing countries of the old world are quite unable to supply the demand made upon them. The forest regions of the great republic which adjoin us have, unless we are misinformed, (I speak of course subject to correction in the presence of Colonel Stevens) been depleted to such an extent that the visible supply will not last for more than a very limited number of years. In old Canada the devastation occasioned by forest fires, and, I am afraid the somewhat reckless use which has been made of our forest resources, have denuded vast districts and compelled those who are interested in the lumber industry to bring down their lumber from districts more remote from the centres of distribution. After a full review of all the information which I was able to collect, I came to the conclusion that in this province alone the Dominion has still a source of timber supply upon which no serious inroads have as yet been made. (Applause.) I shall not readily forget the impression produced upon my mind by the sight of the pine stems through groves of which I rode day after day on my passage over the mountains, and I do not hesitate to say your hillsides are able to produce a supply which if wisely administered should for years to come be a source of wealth to the province. (Applause.)

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S CLIMATE.

In reference to the climate of this province as compared with the eastern portion of the Dominion, His Excellency said that with the improved means of communication afforded us he was under the impression that from this time forth the tide of immigration is likely to flow in this respect you have an enormous advantage over all other districts which are in competition with you. You have here a climate resembling that of the old country rather than that of eastern Canada. I do not wish to exaggerate the terrors of a Canadian winter. Its severity is not inconsistent with the growth of an active and vigorous race (cheers), and for myself I may say that I have suffered more from the damp winter climate of the Old World than from the brighter cold of the New. It is, however, undoubtedly the case that many settlers are deterred from coming to Canada by their knowledge of the rigor of its winter climate and especially the Northwest. Your comparatively short winters, early springs and genial summers are great advantages in your favor. He had but one complaint to make, and it was that during the sessions in Ottawa, our representatives when calling upon him when there were several feet of snow on the ground and the thermometer registered 30 degrees below zero, and they clothed in furs, he was informed by them that their latest advices from this province informed them that exotic plants were already blossoming in the gardens (Great cheers.) When it became known that all these advantages were within a distance of twelve or fourteen days' journey of Liverpool, it was not a difficult task to forecast the result on immigration. While saying so much for the province he thought the completion of the railway would prove of great advantage to the entire Dominion. The great difficulty which the country has to contend with is its own size and the vast extent of territory over which the population is scattered. There are those who ask whether the heart at Ottawa is likely to pump blood into such remote extremities. I think we may say with confidence that in your case if the blood was to be pumped through the veins of a foreign body—if intending settlers in the country, visitors attracted by your scenery and members of parliament coming and going from the discharge of their official duties were to be obliged, as they are now, to take a fortnight's journey by way of the United States, the circulation in your limbs would have proceeded but indifferently [hear! hear!] The whole empire as well as every province in the Dominion has an interest in the great Canadian transcontinental line now so near completion.

RESPONSIBILITY OF THE COLONIES.

If there was one thing more than another strikingly remarkable at the period through which we were now passing it is the manner in which both Great Britain and the colonies are awakening to the responsibilities which attach to such an empire as ours. How is that empire to be defended in the hour of need? How are we to secure that supremacy at sea which has so long been ours? To what extent may we count on the colonies and the colonies on us? These are questions indifference to our colonial empire or to make party capital out of our colonial relations. (Loud Applause.) We have lately had something like a political transformation scene at home and an unexpected and dramatic transfer of power from one party to another. Political society in Great Britain has been convulsed, but the vibrations of that convulsion have scarcely reached our shores. Both sides are equally sound upon the colonial question, and although you have been watching recent events at Westminster with the intelligent interest which you feel in all that concerns the fortunes of the mother country you can be confident that so far as you are yourselves concerned the dethronement of one party and the arrival of another in its place involves no change, which need in the slightest degree affect yourselves.

BRITAIN AND HER COLONIAL EMPIRE.

A great change has come over the public feeling of Britain as to the national empire. I remember reading a speech delivered not long ago by Lord Derby upon this subject. He pointed out and I think with much truth and force that there have been three well marked periods into which the history of our dealings with the great colonies may be divided. During the first of these periods Great Britain administered them for its own selfish ends, regarding them as so many outlets for British commerce, and guiding their affairs without reference to the present necessities or the probable future requirements of the colonies themselves. That period ended with the loss of the American colonies. To the period of antithetical reaction a period of indifference. Finding that the colonies declined to be administered with a sole view to the interests of the British islands it became the fashion to look upon them as useless excrescences which, as far as we were concerned, might be suffered with feelings of equanimity to drop off whenever it might suit them to do so from the parent trunk. "These wretched colonies," said Mr. Disraeli, writing to Lord Malmesbury in 1852," will be independent in a few years, and are a millstone around our necks." I am old enough to remember the time when feelings of this sort were prevalent enough in the old country although at this moment there are probably few persons who entertain them, and fewer still who would care to express them if they did. Lord Beaconsfield towards the close of his remarkable career would certainly have been the last person to do so. At the present time whether you turn to the speeches of Conservative leaders or to those of Radicals like Mr. Chamberlain with his bold conception of an English democracy marching shoulder to shoulder all over the world, you will find no uncertain note as to the future of our Colonial Empire. (Applause.) We have entered and are living in the third period of the life of that empire, the period of intelligent and reasonable partnership between the mother country and the colonies. Under that partnership there have grown up sentiments of mutual attachment and respect so strong that many of our most thoughtful statesmen here and at home have been led to express a desire, not for relief from the responsibilities which attach to a colonial empire but for a still closer union than that which now exists and for a more highly developed form of association, a form of association resting more than at present upon contractual ties and defining with greater distinctness the duties and liabilities and the privileges of both parties to the so-called, in short to make that partnership approach more closely what I believe is commonly spoken of as a federation of the whole empire. (Applause.)

BRITISH CONNECTION ADVANTAGEOUS.

The subject is much too grave and serious an one to be treated within the limits of an after dinner speech. As yet these proposals have not taken any definite shape, or at any rate if they have been formulated it has been by individual reformers rather than by the recognized leaders of public opinion either at home or in the colonies. There are, however, I think some considerations which are so obvious and unquestionable that we need scarcely be afraid to give utterance to them. I had the pleasure of reading, not long ago, an interesting article on a review published on the other side of the frontier. The writer advanced reasons which were conclusive, in his opinion, in favor of a radical change in the relations of Canada and Great Britain. One of those to which great prominence was given was the idea that Canada had commenced war for the sake of self-aggrandizement. The volunteers had been an integral part of the constitution of the Dominion, and the late occurrences in the Northwest would show that Canada could depend upon her volunteers. (Applause.)

In order to do justice to the remaining speakers we are reluctantly compelled to hold over the balance of our report till to-morrow.

ACROSS THE OCEAN.

The Eastern War Cloud.

Special to THE TIMES.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 11.—The Porte has sent another circular to the powers, requesting a decision in the Roumelian difficulty. The government in the meantime continues its extensive military preparations and is well supplied with money form Tultsa, although trying to raise a loan. The Ottoman Bank offers to loan £200,000, but the Porte wants more. Bulgarian peasants at Hostova, eastern Roumilia, have revolted against military duty, and have asked to be allowed to return to their homes.

The Settlement Agreed to.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The Standard's Berlin correspondent says that Germany, with the approval of Austria, Russia and England, has proposed a plan for the settlement of the Bulgarian question, the following principles to be observed: First, that Greek and Servian demands be rejected. Second, that Turkey be advised to complete her military preparations, so as to be ready to interfere in the event of Greece and Servia moving to enforce their demands. Lastly, that the union of Bulgaria and Roumelia under Prince Alexander, the latter avowing the sovereignty of the Sultan be recognized.

Servia Preparing.

Special to THE TIMES.

BELGRADE, Oct. 12.—The war fever runs high in Servia, and active preparations are going on to enforce Servia's demand for extension of territory. English, French and Austrian firms have been tendered contracts by the government to supply complete outfits for 25,000 troops, and all contracts have been allotted, also one for 35,000 horses. The Lander Bank war loan has been raised to $7,000,000.

Greece Clamoring for War.

Special to THE TIMES.

ATHENS, Oct. 12.—Demonstrations in favor of war are being held throughout Greece. The army is being rapidly mobilized. The king has called out the reserves to the number of 40,000 men.

Gladstone's Opinion.

Special to THE TIMES.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 12.—Mr. Gladstone has written to Laviloya, a well-known writer on political economy, as follows: "I favor Bulgarian union, but trust its territory will not exceed its present limit, because I fear disastrous competitions between themselves and also by the Hellenic and Slavic races for the extension of territory. I express myself on the question with reserve, because my mind is perplexed by the many difficulties surrounding it. I see that Bulgarian union, excellent in itself, may produce immeasurable results."

The Irish Elections.

Special to THE TIMES.

CORK, Oct. 11.—The Nationalist Convention for the nomination of candidates for Parliament from the county of Cork, assembled here to-day. Parnell, Dillon, John O'Connor, and five hundred delegates were present. An enthusiastic reception was given the party leaders. Owing to the strong differences of opinion prevailing among delegates respecting the claims of various gentlemen mentioned for honors, Mr. Parnell selected candidates for six of the divisions, leaving the convention to select the seventh.

Servia and Greece will Fight.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The Vienna Fremden Blatt, an organ of the Austrian government, warns Servia and Greece that if they commence war on their own account they must expect no assistance from the powers. It is believed the warning is due to a hint from Prince Bismarck, who insists upon the preservation of the Berlin treaty. The impression is increasing in the European capitals that diplomacy has failed to arrange the Roumelian difficulty, owing to the warlike attitude of Servia and Greece. Both intend to fight against Bulgarian dominance, unless the status quo be restored.

GENERAL DESPATCHES.

A Vicious Elephant.

Special to THE TIMES.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—This afternoon, while Robert White, aged 55, an employee of Forepaugh's circus, was in the winter quarters of the menagerie with some friends, the large elephant, Empress, struck him a fearful blow with her trunk and threw him against one of the cages with such force as to disembowel him. He died shortly after being admitted to the hospital. The same animal killed a young man at O'Brien's circus grounds a few weeks ago while she was being exhibited there.

A $100,000 Blaze.

Special to THE TIMES.

DAVISVILLE, Cal., Oct. 11.—A fire at Willows this morning destroyed an entire brick block, from the Bank to the Crawford House. It is impossible to state the individual losses at present, but the entire amount will reach $100,000. It is believed to be the work of an incendiary.

Touched Bottom.

The tug Prince Rupert is being towed from the dock yesterday afternoon preparatory to her trial trip. She proceeded on and went into Esquimalt Harbor, where the injury, if any, will be estimated by Mr. Harmon. It is believed that she sustained little or no damage, and will at once put to sea.

A Broken Leg.

A sad accident occurred last evening to one of our band's men of the H. M. S. Triumph in front of the Colonist Hotel, Beacon Hill. After partaking of some refreshments being served by the proprietors of the house, in trying to scramble to the top of the bar he lost his balance and fell backwards, breaking his leg just above the ankle. He was carried into the house and every attention was shown him by the inmates, until medical aid came and a carriage was procured and he was conveyed to the Navy Hospital.

DRESSMAKING TOILETS. Dress goods were and fancy glassware just opened at Joan Wallace's, Fort street.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

FRANCIS OSBORN of New York has offered $20,000 for the Genesta, but SIR RICHARD SUTTON's representative wants $30,000.

THE census returns from Boston show the population to be 386,000; but the local newspapers claim more than 400,000.

THE Chief Engineer of Canals in Canada is preparing plans for the Welland canal enlargement, to admit vessels drawing fourteen feet of water. The cost will be $1,000,000.

IT is rumored that on his return from the North west Lord Melgund will resign his position as military secretary to the Governor-General and return to England.

THE address of Archbishop WILSON of Dublin, espousing the cause of the revolutionary party in Ireland, has caused much comment, because his church has condemned revolt against authority.

VICE-PRESIDENT OAKES of the Northern Pacific, is reported as saying that action has been suspended on the O. R. & N. lease till it shall be determined whether the lease can be made under the existing laws of Oregon.

JOHN B. GOUGH, being asked the other day if he noted any improvement in mankind in the matter of intemperance, replied: "Why, yes; every way. Things are nothing like so bad as they were when I was a boy, and they are going to be better yet."

THE alphabets of different languages contain the following number of letters: English, 26; French, 23; Italian, 20; Spanish, 27; German, 26; Slavonic, 27; Russian, 41; Latin, 22; Greek, 24; Hebrew, etc., 22; Arabic, 28; Persian, 32; Sanscrit, 52; Chinese, 214.

VICTOR HUGO made $1,000,000 in the last twenty years of his life. MARK TWAIN has cleared $1,000,000 from his writings, too, in the last score of years. This people can never be behind any effete nation of Europe in its homage to distinguished genius.

THE now completed Galt road is the first feeder to the Canadian Pacific to be completed. Besides bringing freight to the great highway it will solve in Manitoba the coal problem, as it will secure for the people there coal at half the price that obtained when the Pennsylvania could only be secured.

THE *Christian Examiner* mentions as a remarkable and pregnant fact, that in the splendid array of the world-renowned German writers who, in the last hundred years, have so gloriously adorned and illustrated almost every field of human thought and fancy and research, there is not one who was not born and educated as a Protestant. It adds: "If we were to strike from the records of human intellectual action all that Catholic Germany has contributed to the general stock since the Protestant reformation, the world would not be poorer by one great idea, or even by one comprehensive fact."

ONE of Manitoba's grievances is that tracts of land within the Province are held by speculators, who will not cultivate the land themselves, and will not permit others to cultivate it unless they pay a round price for permission. The change which we suggest in the system of taxation would put an end to that grievance. Tax the land up to its rental value, and every speculator will quickly become a cultivator or will quit the field. It is the collection of revenue by Customs duties and by taxes on personal property instead of a land tax that gives the speculators a foothold. Abolish the system, and they will be driven out.

ANTONIO Duke has been taken into the fold of the Catholic Church, H. P. A. PELHAM-CLINTON, Duke of Newcastle, who has just attained his majority—having been born in 1864 and succeeded to the title in 1879. This is a most important accession to the power of Catholicism among the English nobility—only one other Duke, NORFOLK, also a young man of thirty-nine, having renounced the Established Church. The Duke of NEWCASTLE has an income of £200,000 a year, but the most peculiar feature of the case is that he possesses livings in the Episcopal Church which, as is the case with other Catholic noblemen, he is required to fill.

HIS EXCELLENCY'S SPEECH.

A considerable portion of our space in to-day's issue is devoted to the speech delivered by His Excellency the Governor-General at the banquet tendered him on Saturday evening by the citizens. As the distinguished nobleman progressed with his speech it became evident that much care and consideration had been devoted to the preparation of the effort, for the speech was delivered without the least hesitancy or even the lowering of his voice, which is strong, thereby enabling him to be heard very distinctly. His opening remarks at once secured for him the confidence of his auditory, which he continued to hold to the finish. His allusion to our climate, the completion of the Canadian Pacific railway, and the results to follow such an achievement in the development of many of the resources of this country, especially the product of the forest, the stream, the mine and the flow of immigration certain to come thither to cultivate our wild virgin lands, was quite in keeping with the writings and utterances of all who have given the subject any consideration. In his reference to the colonial policy of Great Britain he voiced sentiments which are steadily receiving the best and most earnest attention of leading men throughout the British Empire, irrespective of class or politics. His Excellency's reference to the impossibility of framing a financial policy—in the event of the colonies affiliating with Great Britain—that would be acceptable, or applicable, to all the different parts of the empire, were the expressions of a statesman, for there is no doubt that such a scheme could not be formulated satisfactorily. It is not the first occasion in which the executive of the country has urged upon Canadians the necessity of giving greater attention to the defences of the country, as well as completing a thorough organization of our militia and volunteer system. The loyalty of Canadians is unquestioned; but they will be careful in rushing into an expenditure of many millions without first knowing the direct benefit derivable from such an investment. Such politicians as are in favor of making a change in our political status are advised by His Excellency to "take care that we realize the advantages which the present state of things undoubtedly affords." He was politician enough, however, to say that he did not wish it to be understood that he was "arguing that that state of things is in all respects incapable of improvement." The speech is well worthy perusal, for it affords much food for reflection at the present period of our history. There are many leading Canadian topics that might have been touched upon by His Excellency. He had travelled from ocean to ocean, had an opportunity of witnessing agricultural exhibitions in in the east; his trip across the continent gave him a fair idea of the vast and illimitable resources of our great Northwest, yet on the possible future of this vast Dominion he was painfully silent. In this respect the utterances and opinions of his predecessors form a very conspicuous contrast. It may be that on his return to the east an opportunity will be given him to extend full justice to a topic that, to the well wisher of his native and adopted country, surmounts all others, namely, the wonderful march towards greatness which is being witnessed on every hand in Canada.

THE NEW MINISTER OF JUSTICE.

The ministerial journals in the maritime provinces are quite elated over the appointment of the Hon. MR. THOMPSON, of Nova Scotia, to the position of Minister of Justice for Canada. One of the Halifax journals in a recent issue says: We need not dwell at any length on the eminent wisdom of this appointment, or the great value to the province of being represented in the Dominion Cabinet by a gentleman of Mr. THOMPSON's character and ability. We do not believe that there is a man of any standing in the province, of either party, who will question either point for a moment. As a gentleman the new minister has ever been a favorite among men of all parties, creeds, and classes; as a lawyer he has no equal in the Lower Provinces, and few, if any, superiors in Canada; while as a public man he displayed all the highest qualities of an ideal statesman. Honest, industrious, broad-minded, clear-headed, and courageous, with a thorough mastery of his profession, and a patriotic ambition to be useful in his day and generation, Mr. THOMPSON is unquestionably, of all the men in the province, the one best qualified to succeed SIR CHARLES TUPPER as representative of Nova Scotia in the government of Canada. That SIR JOHN MACDONALD has had the wisdom to seek and the good fortune to secure him as a colleague, must be a matter of congratulation to every Nova Scotian worthy of the name, and to every man in Canada who values country above party. Of this perfect propriety of SIR JOHN MACDONALD's course in offering the portfolio of Minister of Justice to Mr. THOMPSON while the latter was a judge of the Supreme Court, or of Mr. THOMPSON's action in accepting the office thus tendered him, there can happily be no doubt. There are abundant English precedents justifying such a course. The position of Minister of Justice in Canada is nearly identical with that of Lord Chancellor in England, and several of the most illustrious of English Chancellors were taken from the Bench. LORDS HARDWICKE, CAMDEN, BATHURST, LOUGHBOROUGH, ELDON, TENTERDEN, CAMPBELL and WOOD each left the Bench to enter the English Cabinet as Lord Chancellor.

OUR SCHOOL SYSTEM.

A Boston journal in urging upon women their responsibility in connection with the public schools of that city, says that the schools ought to be kept sacred from the torch of the professional politician and the sectarian bigot. It is upon their proper management that the future of our city, in great measure depends. They must be conducted with a view solely to the best interests of education, not as a means of gratifying the political ambition of any man or set of men. In order to keep them up to the requisite standard, our virtuous, sober and intelligent citizens must do their duty at the polls; they must not remain quietly in their homes or counting rooms, on the plea that they are too busy to attend to politics. The public schools are not politics; it is upon their being kept altogether out of politics that their efficiency depends, and the only way to keep them out is for those people who regard the management of the schools as the most vital of all public questions to hold the control of them in their own hands, and not allow professional politicians to use them as instruments for promoting party ends. There is no class of people in the community who have a deeper interest in the public schools than the mothers of the children. They are bound, therefore, to make their influence felt in all practicable ways. No mother has fulfilled her whole duty unless she has used the power the law has given her, to aid in the election of upright and competent persons for members of the school committee.

THE Toronto *Mail* treats lightly the organization of an anti-French association in Toronto, and expresses the opinion that it cannot long withstand the "considerable volume of common sense which makes public opinion in Ontario." It will be a good thing, indeed, if that common sense is as voluminous as the *Mail* thinks it is. There is danger of a race conflict more severe than that which obtained forty years ago. The French population numbers nearly one third the population of Canada, and any bullragging by an anti-French Canadian organization will bring about disturbances of a more disastrous character than those incidental to the dissension of Orangemen and Roman Catholics.

THE Canadian government has agreed, with the approval of the English capitalists interested in the scheme, to give the proposed Chignecto Marine Railway company a grant of $172,300 per year for twenty years, in place of the sum of $150,000 for twenty-five years, as originally proposed.

THE Toronto *Mail* takes the trouble to deny in a solemn manner the jocular statement of some American papers, that Canadians receive American defaulters with open arms and kisses of welcome.

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(No. 125.)

A BY-LAW

For raising the sum of $16,000 to provide for and improve the Public Lighting of the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS the present Public Lighting of the City of Victoria is insufficient, and it is expedient and necessary to extend and improve the same, and for that purpose to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said city the sum of $16,000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $1,156 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said city, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $6,000,000.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 1-32 of one cent in the dollar for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt according to the Municipality Act, 1881.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said city to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $16,000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said city for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, either in currency or sterling money, not less than $100 each, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the said Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in twenty years from the day hereinafter mentioned for this By-Law to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer, City Hall, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of six per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures, and interest thereon, at the rate aforesaid, an equal special rate of 1-100 of one cent in the dollar shall be in addition to all other rates be assessed, raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the said term of twenty years from the coming into effect of this Bylaw, unless such debentures shall be sooner paid.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to repurchase any of the said debentures at such price, or prices, as shall in each case be mutually agreed, and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no rebate of debentures shall be made in consequence of such repurchase.

7. This By-law shall, before final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipality Act, 1881, and shall take effect on from and after the day of the final passing thereof.

8. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the Public Lighting By-Law, 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 16th day of September, A. D. 1885.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 28th day of September, A. D. 1885.

R. P. RITHET,
Mayor.
[L. S.] JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.
oct10

(No. 124.)

A BYLAW

For Raising the Sum of $3000 to Obtain Plans and Specifications for the Drainage of the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT AND NECESSARY to provide a complete and permanent system of Drainage for the City of Victoria, and before commencing the construction thereof to obtain plans and specifications for such a system upon the best sanitary and scientific principles.

And whereas for the purpose of obtaining such plans and specifications by public competition, it is expedient and necessary to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of $3000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $186 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said City, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $6,000,000.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 1-100 of a cent in the dollar for paying the interest and creating a yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt according to the Municipality Act, 1881.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $3000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said City for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required either in currency or sterling money not less than $100 each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the said Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in twenty years, from the day hereinafter mentioned, for this Bylaw to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer, City Hall, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of six per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures, and interest thereon, at the rate aforesaid, an equal special rate of 1-100 of one cent in the dollar shall be in addition to all other rates be assessed, raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the said term of twenty years from the coming into effect of this Bylaw, unless such debentures shall be sooner paid.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to repurchase any of the said debentures at such price, or prices, as shall in each case be mutually agreed, and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no rebate of debentures shall be made in consequence of such repurchase.

7. This Bylaw shall, before final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipality Act, 1881, and shall take effect on from and after the day of the final passing thereof.

8. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Drainage Bylaw, 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of September, A. D., 1885.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 23rd day of September, 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 28th day of September, A. D., 1885.

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C. F. DUPONT,
Dist. Examiner.
Victoria, Sept. 26, 1885. sep26 tw

NOTICE.

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IN LUCK AT LAST

BY WALTER BESANT.

(CHAPTER VII—(Concluded.)

"My tutor," he went on, "if you only knew what things you have taught me, a man of experience! If I admired you when I thought you must be a man, and pictured as old scholar full of books and wisdom, what could I do when I found that a young girl had written these letters? You gave mine back to me; did you think that I would ever part with yours? And you owned—oh, Iris, what would not the finished woman of the world give to have the secret of your power?—you owned that you knew all my letters, every one, by heart. And after all you will love me, your disciple and pupil, and a man who has his way to make from the very beginning and first round of the ladder. Think, Iris, first. Is it right to throw away so much upon a man who is worth so little?"

"But I am glad that you are poor. If you were rich I should have been afraid—oh, not of you, Arnold—never of you, but of your people. And, besides, it is so good—oh, so very good for a young man—a young man of the best kind, not my cousin's kind—to be poor. Nobody ought ever to be allowed to become rich before he is fifty years of age at the very least. Because now you will have to work in earnest, and you will become a great artist—yes, a truly great artist, and we shall be proud of you."

"You shall make of me what you please, as I what you can. For your sake, Iris, I will be another Raphael. You are my mistress and my queen. But me to do this and I will dare—Iris, I swear that the words of the extravagant old song are real to me."

"Nay," she said, "not your queen, but your servant always. Surely love cannot command. But, I think," she added softly, with a tender blush; "I think—nay, I am sure and certain that it can obey."

"My love," he murmured; "my love—my love!"

The shadows lengthened and the evening fell; but these two foolish people sat still by side, and hand in hand, and what they said further we need not write down, because to tell too much of what young lovers whisper to each other is a kind of sacrilege.

At last Arnold became aware that the sun was actually set, and he sprang to his feet.

They walked home again across the suspension bridge. In the western sky was hanging a huge bank of cloud all bathed in purple, red and gold; the river was ablaze; the barges floated in a golden haze; the light shone on their faces, and made them all glorious, like the face of Moses, for they, too, had stood—nay, they were still standing—at the very gates of Heaven.

"See, Iris," said the happy lover, "the day is done; your old life is finished; it has been a happy time, and it sets in glory and splendor. The red light in the west is a happy omen of the day to come."

So he took her by the hand and led her over the river, and then to his own studio in Tite street. There, in the solemn twilight, he took her in his arms and renewed the vows of love with kisses and fond caress.

"Iris, my dear—my dear—you are mine and I am yours. What have I done to deserve this happy fate?"

He took her by the hand and led her over the river.

CHAPTER VIII.

THE DISCOVERY.

At nine o'clock that evening Mr. Emblem looked up from the chess board.

"Where is Mr. Arbuthnot this evening, my dear?" he asked.

It would be significant in some houses when a young man is expected every evening. Iris blushed, and said that perhaps he was not coming. But he was, and his step was on the stair as she spoke.

"You are late, Mr. Arbuthnot," said Mr. Emblem reproachfully; "you are late, sir, and somehow we get no music now until you come. Play us something, Iris. It is my move, Lois—"

Iris opened the piano and Arnold sat down beside her, and their eyes met. There was in each the consciousness of what had passed.

"I shall speak to him to-night, Iris," Arnold whispered. "I have already written to my cousin. Do not be hurt if she does not call upon you."

"Nothing of that sort will hurt me," Iris said, being ignorant of social ways and without the least ambition to rise in the world. "If your cousin does not call upon me I shall not be disappointed. Why should she want to know me? But I am sorry, Arnold, that she is angry with you."

Lois Roy just then found himself in presence of a most beautiful problem—white to move and checkmate in three moves. Mr. Emblem found the meshes of fate closing round him earlier than usual, and both bent their heads closely over the table.

"Checkmate!" said Lois Roy. "My friend you have played badly this evening."

"I have played badly," Mr. Emblem replied, "because to-morrow will be an important day for Iris and for myself. A day, Iris, that I have been looking forward to for eighteen years, ever since I got your father's last letter, written upon his deathbed. It comes a long time, but they, Mortimer," said the old man of seventy-five, "it is as nothing when it is gone. Eighteen years, and you were a little thing of three, child."

"What is going to happen to me, grandfather, except that I shall be twenty-one?"

"We shall see to-morrow. Patience, my dear—patience."

He spread out his hands and laughed. What was going to happen to himself was a small thing compared with the restoration of Iris to her own.

"Mr. Emblem," said Arnold, "I also have something of importance to say."

"You, too, Mr. Arbuthnot? Cannot yours wait also until to-morrow?"

"No; it is too important. It cannot wait an hour."

"Well, sir"—Mr. Emblem pushed up his spectacles and leaned back in his chair—"well, Mr. Arbuthnot, let us have it."

"I think you may guess what I have to say, Mr. Emblem. I am sure that Lois Roy has already guessed it."

The Philosopher inclined his head in assent.

"It is that I have this afternoon asked Iris to marry me, Mr. Emblem. And she has consented."

"Have you consented, Iris, my dear?" said her grandfather.

She placed her hand in Arnold's for reply.

"Do you think you know him well enough, my dear?" Mr. Emblem asked gravely, looking at her lover. "Marriage is a serious thing; it is a partnership for life. Children, think well before you venture on the happiness or ruin of your whole lives. And you are so young. What a pity—what a thousand pities that people were not ordained to marry at seventy or so!"

(TO BE CONCLUDED.)

GEN. GORDON'S PECULIARITIES.

A Friend's Recollections—The "Prayer List"—His Last Words.

[Cor. New York Sun.]

One of Gordon's marked peculiarities in conversation was his employment of phrases which he had himself coined to represent certain ideas. Thus he would say of a man, "So and so is a very good fellow, but he would never break his medal," by which he meant that he was ambitious. Gordon himself, when the emperor of China gave him, in return for his services, a very valuable gold medal, fearing that the sense of gratification he derived from it might prove a snare to him, broke it up and gave away the pieces. Hence the allusion.

Again, he would say, if asked if he knew so and so, "I only met him once and then he rent me." From which I understood that he had felt it his duty on that occasion to give the individual in question a word of good advice, and that the only thanks was that the man resented it, or, in Scripture phraseology, "turned again and rent him."

One day I observed him writing notes on a slip of paper. He asked me the Christian names of two friends who were staying with me. I told him, and feeling, I suppose, that my curiosity ought to be gratified, he said, "I am writing them down on my prayer list."

Another day after using some very strong language in regard to a very high personage who shall be nameless, he added quickly, "but I pray for him regularly." All this without a vestige of cant. If there was a thing he detested it was hypocrisy, and I trust I may not be guilty of it when I say that the thought of Gordon at Khartoum, and the knowledge that I was on his prayer list, was calculated to produce a lump in my throat. He was full of fun and a most cheery companion with those he knew intimately. He never forced a conversation in a religious channel.

He brought with him from Jerusalem a raised model which he had made, to carry out his theory that the hill upon which the greater part of the city was built was in the form of a woman. Taking the mound commonly identified as "the place of the skull" as the head, the lines of topographical configuration certainly bore out the resemblance in a very remarkable manner. He was far more full of this than either of the Soudan or the Congo, and was taking it with him to Brussels to show the king of the Belgians. He left here on the 14th or 15th of December, 1884, and walked to Acre, twelve miles, to meet the steamer that was to take him direct to Marseilles. He sent his luggage in a carriage.

His last words as we parted were that he felt sure we should never meet again. I said he had been wrong once when he told me that he should not see me again, and I hoped he was wrong now. He said no, he felt that he had no more work for God to do on this earth, and that he should never return from the Congo. Within a month he was in upper Egypt.

"Chinuch," the Indian Delicacy.

[Baltimore to Boston.]

A few days ago an Indian family camped near the Third street bridge. They had a number of sacks filled with hoppers. One lot of the insects were got dried to the queen's taste, and therefore were spread upon canvas to get the benefit of the sun. They were found to be devoid of smell other than one resembling that of dried herbs, and were clean looking. They were demoralized, many had legs and wings broken and were flattened by the drying process, which consists in shaking in a sack with hot stones. Afterward the hopper are ground or pounded into meal with stones, in the old Indian style. It is then called "chinuck." In cooking, bear's grease is used, when obtainable, and the resulting mass is considered by Indians in the same light as are preserves or jellies by white people.

An old Indian sat near watching the treasures, but was so absorbed in sewing upon some of his clothing that a brood of ducks and chickens got a square meal. The Indian's mahalas and his children were some distance away, around a camp fire over which a mess of cabbage was being cooked, for these people of the mountains do not confine their diet to the shrimps of the fields. The old Indian said that he was soon going to Lake Tahoe to spend a week in fishing and intended to sell trout to passing tourists.

Depositing the Dead.

[Demorest's Monthly.]

There are many customs among semi-civilized people that mitigate the hardships of war. There are often tribal conflicts between the fierce races which inhabit Aralia, Sahara and the Soudan. But immemorial custom has sanctified the water wells and the palm trees that flourish only in the oasis. The Arab will murder or rob, but he would not cut down a palm tree or injure a spring of water in the desert. It has now come to light that the British soldier in the Upper Egypt and the Soudan proved to be a more contemptible savage than the followers of the false prophet. The few traces of fertility in the deserts they passed over were destroyed, the palm trees, which for generations had furnished grateful shade to the caravans, were cut down; the date trees were uprooted, and the wells and springs injured; some of them beyond repair.

How to Walk for Exercise.

[New York Star.]

If walking alone is adopted as the means to counteract the effect of too much sitting, then care should be taken that system enters into the walk. A slow, desultory sort of walk is of no earthly use; it simply tires one without any beneficial result. The walking should be brisk, with the head up and the chest thrown forward. The breathing should be regular and as free as the swing of the limbs. The distance is optional, of course, but two miles ought to be no task for the man who wants to improve his health. The distance can be increased as the pedestrian begins to feel the benefit of the walking.

A New Military Shield.

[Boston Transcript.]

Some interesting experiments have been carried out at Hyde, England, with a new arm of defense. The implement is simply a steel shield to be fixed on the muzzle of a rifle as a bayonet is fixed. It covers one superficial foot, weighs three pounds, can be easily slung under the arm, and does not appear to be invisibly. On skirmishing duty the infantry soldier would take his "cover" with him, place the point in the earth, lie behind it, and pick off his men with ease, the shield forming a rest for the rifle. The shield, which is claimed to be bullet proof, has been submitted to the war office, and the military authorities are said to view it with some favor.

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[New York Times.]

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—Mr. E. H. Fletcher, P. O. Inspector, went to the mainland on the Yosemite this morning.

—The Royal Hospital acknowledges the receipt of a donation of meat and fowl from the proprietors of the Driard House.

—The Queen of the Pacific to-day brought 13 cabin passengers, 22 Chinese and 20 steerage passengers for this city.

—Irving Bros, boot and shoe dealers, Government street, claim to sell cheaper than any other firm in Victoria. A specialty is made of repairing.

—M. Chas. Ed. Alex. Apponyi, architect, was introduced to Sir Cullum Seymour by the Governor-General at the banquet last Saturday night. The admiral is an old friend of the Apponyi family.

—During the month of September San Francisco received 75,283 tons of coal, of which British Columbia sent 22,847, Austria 23,192, and Washington and Oregon 17,348.

—The Geo. E. Starr brought freight for: Brewster & Co, Royal City P M Co, W Prothero, J Cunningham, T J Matlock, J A Mara, A Iron Works, Geo Petherell.

—Our morning contemporary says that THE TIMES is "prepared for any emergency." Thanks; we did not expect so much praise from that quarter. Doubtless, our friend has found it out by experience.

Mrs. Hampson's Mission.

The meeting last night in the Theatre Comique was very interesting, solemn and profitable. The building was literally packed; the audience being estimated at between 1200 and 1500. The address, which was grounded on Luke 16:2, took an hour and a quarter in delivery, and as a piece of sustained eloquence, could scarcely be excelled. It dealt with the subject matter in hand in a very able manner and was intensely practical throughout. These meetings are producing profound impressions of the very best kind on many in our city. They will be continued to-night and to-morrow night. Those who have not heard this truly able eloquent woman should not miss the opportunity of listening to one of the most talented women that has visited our city.

Departure of the Governor-General.

The Governor-General and suite left on the Sir James Douglas at 9.30 this forenoon. The Hon. Joseph Trutch and R Dunsmuir, M. P. P., accompanied the party, which will land at Chemainus, and after inspecting the Nanaimo railway will proceed to Nanaimo by rail. Tuesday will be spent at the latter city, and on Wednesday morning the Sir James Douglas will proceed to New Westminster, arriving there about noon. The Governor-General will be the guest of Bishop Sillitoe during his stay in that city, and will be presented with an address by the Mayor and Council. On Thursday he will start on his return journey to the east via the C. P. R.

What We May Expect.

A Winnipeg paper of a late date says that arrangements are being made to have a grand excursion, at popular rates, from Port Arthur to British Columbia, on the completion of the C. P. R. The object will be principally to give business men an opportunity of ascertaining what prospects are for trading with the Pacific Province. It is understood that the Board of Trade intend taking the matter in hand, and that very favorable rates have already been mentioned by the railway company, who are as much alive to enterprise of that nature as the business men of Port Arthur.

Scarlet Women from the Orient.

By the Queen of the Pacific to-day there arrived twenty Chinese women, all in charge of a procurer, who bought them in China and will sell them in Victoria to the Chinese. The tax of $50 on each was paid, and the Dominion treasury was thus enriched by $1000, while our city is polluted with a score of Chinese prostitutes. Mr. McClymont said truly at the meeting on Saturday night that our people must not be content with $50—they must continue demanding more and more until the tax becomes prohibitory.

Juvenile Sportsmen.

Parents and guardians would do well to be very careful about allowing their little boys to go shooting alone. A lad, about eleven, yesterday (Sunday) afternoon, attempted to shoot a quail, the bird being about half the distance (80 yards altogether) between the shooter and a gentleman coming along the road near the Jewish cemetery. The one new to sport, but the shot came peppering down a few yards from the gentleman's feet.

Theatre Comique.

Some of the members of the company which is to play in the Theatre Comique, arrived by the Queen to-day, and the rest arrived by Sound steamer under direction of Mr. J. F. Pickering. The company will commence to play on the evening of Wednesday, Oct. 14th.

The Championship Race.

A boat arrived to-day by the Queen from San Francisco for Mr. J. H. Seeley, for the race which is to take place next Saturday. The boat was made in New York, weighs 30 pounds, and is a fine model. The race between Mr. Seeley and W. Paige for the championship of British Columbia, will take place next Saturday.

Mayor Rithet.

Much credit is due to His Worship Mayor Rithet for the tact and ability displayed by him as Chief Magistrate of the city during the visit of the vice-regal party. Throughout the entire programme there was not an unpleasant jar or hitch of any kind which is largely due to the manner in which Mayor Rithet carried out the arrangements.

LIBERAL OFFER.

We will supply the Toronto Weekly Globe to the end of 1885 for $1 to new Subscribers.

Subscriptions received also for any Periodical published in the world Canadian, English and American papers a specialty. Supplied at publisher's price or very slight advance. The sooner you order the more you get for your money.

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Misses and Children's Autumn and Winter Mantles, 20 to 40 inches long, from $1.25 each, at the CITY HOUSE.

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KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

Demonstration on Saturday Night—Resolutions Adopted.

On Saturday night, according to announcement made by the Knights of Labor, a very large crowd assembled at Campbell's corner, and marched in procession via Yates, Broad, View, (passing the Driard where the Governor-General was being entertained) Quadra, to the square under the electric light at Chatham street. Two transparencies bearing the inscriptions, "Political Crimes," "Syndicate Robberies," "Land and Mineral Monopolies," "White Slavery," "Chinese Serfs in Competition with White Labor," "Honest Labor Demands Honest Treatment," were carried, and numerous torches lit up the scene. Arrived at the light the meeting was organized by Mr. J. Mortimer, president of the society. Mr. Duval moved the resolution as follows:

"We, the laboring men and representatives of labor throughout the province of British Columbia feel it our duty to contradict the statements which have appeared in a portion of the local press that no grievances exist and that the people are contented and prosperous.

"Be it therefore resolved that we protest against such statements and declare them to be untrue and calculated to mislead his excellency the governor-general and public opinion elsewhere, also condemn the manner in which all reference to the Chinese question was evaded in the addresses presented to the governor-general and denounce the policy of federal and local governments in permitting the employment of Chinese on public works in preference to our own race, thereby driving thousands of able-bodied men from the country and by Chinese competition depriving hundreds of men from earning a livelihood.

"We further declare that in the struggle for existence which has been forced upon us by enemies to the true interests of the moral, social and political well-being of the people, we are of opinion that they and not the Chinese should be held responsible, and pledge ourselves to withhold all political and other support from such as have directly or indirectly assisted in the introduction of Chinese labor in the province and request our brethren here and the laboring classes of the east to cooperate with us in carrying out all measures for the reform of existing abuses. "We also protest against the money qualification of electoral rights, as contained in the late Franchise Act, and demand manhood suffrage, with the usual residential restrictions; reduction of the hours of labor, and proportional and direct taxation.

"We furthermore appeal to all good citizens for their moral and active support in the movement now inaugurated, to secure preference for white labor, and to diminish the number of Chinese in the province by every legitimate means in their power.

"Be it further resolved, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to His Excellency the Governor-General and the trades labor executive council of Canada."

Mr. J. J. McClymont, in a lengthy and forcible speech, seconded the resolution. He spoke at length on the twin grievances of Chinese slave labor and the crushing and blighting influence of organized capital on those it would willingly degrade to the same level. His arguments were strong and pointed with apt illustrations. At the conclusion of his remarks the chairman put the resolution to a vote, and it was carried without a dissenting voice. The crowd, which numbered about 750, was composed of a most respectable class of citizens, and was orderly, as all such gatherings happily are in Victoria.

Arrival of the Queen.

The Queen of the Pacific arrived from San Francisco this morning, bringing freight for: A Ofner, A B Gray, A Bossi & Co, Albion Iron Works, A Gilmore, A Lewis & Co, A R Johnston & Co, Angelo Giovanola, Brewster & Co, Bancherat & Co, B Williams, Bank of B C, Blair & Co, Brady & Babbett, B & C, Carne & Munsie, C E Apponyi, Coursier & Johnson, Carter Bro, C McK Smith, D S Sears, D McPhadden, E G Prior, E B Marvin, E S Scouller & Co, Fell & Co, F Chappuzon, F A Bossi & Co, F W Foster, F J Trapp, Gutmann & Frank, G Bossi, Geo Vienna, Geo Rudge, G R Ashwell, H Saunders, H Short, Hamm & Marbouef, Hudson Bay Co, H Mansell, H F Sieward, H Bornstein, John Weiler, John Cunningham, J Isaacs & Co, Jos Sommes, J Vautright, Jas Wiss, J J Flett, J T Porter, Joe Ferry, James Seeley, J A Mara, Joseph Deacon, J F McCreight, J L & J Levy, Kam Yuen, Kwong On Tai, Kurtz & Co, Langley & Co, Long Chung, Marvin & Tilton, Mathews Richards & Tye, Moodyville Saw Mill Co, W McKeon, M W Waitt & Co, Moore & Co, McLennan & McFeely, M Lens, Neufeldter & Ross, Naval Storekeeper R N Y, On Hing and Brother, P McQuade & Son, Perdray & Co, P T Johnson & Co, P H Gray, B Baker & Son, R Dunsmuir, Ralph Borthwick, S Maynard, S J Pitts, S Leiser, S H Webb, Sere & Deans, See Lee Lung, S Baker & Co, S L Kelly & Son, Thos Earle, Tong Lee, T N Hibben & Co, To Order W R M, Kamloops, C P N Co, Thos Gowan, T Tway, W H Bennett, W Heathorn, W McColl, New Westminster, W M Croft, W J Jeffers, W Sommer, W Godfrey, W J McDonald, Wah Hing, Wm Forman, Wing Chong, Wells, Fargo & Co, mark Lon Sing, Yee Wo, Yuen Long, T C T.

Football—Victoria F. C. vs. Officers of Fleet.

This match came off at Beacon Hill on Saturday last, and was witnessed by a large concourse of spectators, the majority of whom were ladies, who were treated to a rare exhibition of football and were also enlivened by the charms of the flagship band. Among the occupants of the numerous carriages present were the Governor-General and party, who appeared to take great interest in the game. The match was of the most friendly nature and was equally enjoyable to both players and spectators. Two half-hours were played and the sides were so evenly balanced that the result was left in doubt, and the interest fully kept up till the call of time; Victoria eventually avenging her last year's defeat by scoring a hard earned victory by two tries to nil. As is always the case with young clubs the pro features, which tend to make the game so attractive and interesting (i.e. "running" and "passing") were conspicuous by their absence, nevertheless it could be easily seen that there was plenty of good material on both sides and practice is all that is required. Where all played so well it is hard to particularize though we cannot pass over Fisher, Ward, Grafton, Martin, Playfair and LeMesurier of the backs, and Kapick of the fleet forwards were Gallery, Stokes and Petch, while for Victoria the captain was ably backed up by Roberts, Crease, Ellis and Musgrave, who all played a thoroughly honest hard-working game. The Victoria team were: Tiedeman (back), W. Ward, Guillene and Swinerton (¼ backs), H. G. Playfair and J. Martin (¼ backs), H. E. Jones (captain), H. Roberts, B. T. Drake, L. Crease, A. Bewsley, H. Ellis, J. Musgrave, J. Earnshaw and J. Harvey.

A fine line of French Patent Dancing Pumps, just arrived at Geo. H. Maynard's, Fort street.

Just received, direct from London, 12 cases gents' grain hide field boots, will be sold at cost, at Geo. H. Maynard's, Fort street.

PROVINCIAL COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, S. M.)

Richard E. Preator, charged with the murder of Bergh, captain of the sloop Fleetwing, was placed in the dock again this morning.

John Williams, a longshoreman and sailor, and at present employed on the Yosemite was sworn. He was intimately acquainted for two years with the missing man Bergh, and also knew the prisoner. Last saw Bergh on the 17th of March, going on the Geo. E. Starr to Tacoma. On returning to Victoria he met prisoner who told him that he, Crane and Bergh had been up north and that Bergh had gone to the Stickeen river with a squaw to go ranching. In the Pritchard house one night witness expressed his surprise to prisoner that Bergh should have left the Fleetwing and gone away with an Indian woman; he was not a "squaw man." Prisoner replied that he had bought the sloop from money won at cards from officers of a man-of-war in Alaska. On a former occasion he had seen prisoner wearing a ring like Bergh's, and on asking him how he got it he replied that he had won it at "poker." On asking him, "What did you do with Bergh," prisoner looking frightened said, "if you want to talk about that come outside—don't talk here." When they went out the conversation above referred to took place.

Mr. Parker also gave evidence corroborative of that already published.

Mr. Irving appeared for the crown and Mr. Taylor for the defence. A remand was granted for eight days.

POLICE COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, S. M.)

Lizzie Moody, a Nass river Indian woman, drunk; fined $5.

Johnny Dare, a Hydah Indian, fighting on Herald street with a Chinaman, fined $5 or one week.

Fanny Eastman, obstructing Herald street and using insulting language. There was no appearance, and Officer Walker having proved that a summons was served and the offence had been committed, the court imposed a fine of $10 or one month.

Wm. Emory and Wm. B. Ward, charged with desertion from the Triumph. Prisoners pleaded guilty, and the court ordered them back to their ship.

Peter McIntosh and Sam, a Chinaman, fighting on the street. The white man pleaded guilty, but John said he "no fighter." Officer Young, however, proved that Sam was in the act of going to strike the white man with a stone. Each fined $5 or one week.

Opening of the New Theatre.

The new theatre will be opened next Friday evening with the "Pirates of Penzance." There will be a matinee on Saturday afternoon, and the performance will be repeated on Saturday evening.

The Grace Hawthorn Co. will give eight performances, beginning on Monday evening. This will be the first dramatic entertainment in the new temple. Tickets will be on sale to-morrow at Waitt's. This lady's repertoire includes The New Camille, Fron Fron, East Lynne and other first class emotional dramas.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Judge Gray and Lieut. Gray were passengers by the Western Slope to-day.

Mr. A. W. Pierce went to Nanaimo on the Slope this morning.

Mr. J. H. Ferguson has gone to Nanaimo.

S. Redgrave has gone to Kootenay, via Farwell, to rejoin his father.

Mrs. A. Hendry returned from San Francisco to-day.

Mr. T. Wrigley, trade commissioner for the Hudson Bay company, arrived from the east on Saturday.

Mr. R. Powell, brother of our esteemed citizen, Dr. Powell, arrived from the east to-day, and will remain for some time in the city.

The Geo. E. Starr brought the following passengers to Victoria: Miss Richie, H Wingate, N Marks, J Peterson, J Coburn, G B Comstock, R Powell, R Meyer, Moyns, Hange, Schnidterup, F T Keller, Mrs C W Young J McNulty, J Funge, W Craig, M O Clemmont, B S Miller, Chas Gabriel, S Hurd, F Block, Pickering, Belgrave, Beale, Goodrick and wife, J E Davis, A Polson, J Wulff, J Cooper, Mrs Carter, A J Bowie, Geo Fraser.

MARINE NOTES.

The Western Slope took the place of the Amelia on the Nanaimo route to-day. The Amelia is having some repairs made on her boiler and will be ready for next trip.

The Prince Rupert was towed out by the Pilot yesterday.

The Alden Besse with about four hundred Chinese on board, was towed to sea yesterday.

The Gerard C. Tobey, lumber-laden for Melbourne, was towed down by the tug Alexander from Moodyville.

The bark Julia Ford was towed by the Alexander to Nanaimo on Sunday, to load coal.

Just arrived, 17 cases fall Boots and Shoes direct from eastern manufacturers, all of which are marked at prices say down for cash at Geo. H. Maynard, Fort street.

Cash is the order of the day at Geo. H. Maynard's. See his new sign.

A Rare Opportunity.

Dr. Mintie, of San Francisco, who is admitted to be the most successful specialist on the Pacific Coast, is now represented in this city. The rooms of the doctor are at the Oriental hotel, where consultation may be had free.

8 lb Woolen Blankets $3 per pair, at Cheap Variety Store, Masonic Building, Douglas street.

A beautiful line of PERSIAN CHAINS and ROCKERS, latest designs, just received at JOHN WEIBEN'S, Fort street.

Eastern Shell Oysters, just received at the Poodle Dog.

Rand Bros, real estate brokers, have removed from Yates street to Galpin's new block, Fort street.

Ice at Brewster's, Yates street, or of W. Tinson.

All the latest Songs and Instrumental Music, at Waitt's Music Store.

HEAVY CORDED BLACK SILKS, (good item) Value. Just received

At the CITY HOUSE.

JERSEYS! JERSEYS!

One hundred and fifty Jerseys received to-day at the White House. Hutcheson, Young & Co.

BEADED BLACK SILK JETTERS; Beaded Black Cashmere Jerseys; Plain Black Cashmere Jerseys, from $1.62½ each. Just received at the

CITY HOUSE.

Hold-To Williams, Book Binder paper Ruler and Blank Book Manufacturer. Maps and drawing Paper Mounted. Office of the B. C. Directory Broad st.

New Books.

The B. C. Directory for 1885, just issued by E. T. Williams, publisher, is a perfect encyclopedia of information concerning the city of Victoria and the province of British Columbia. The MS. occupies upwards of 800 pages, and is far better than it should be, as a book of reference in every business house and residence in the province.

Columbia House.

The Artisans Cash Dry Goods Store,

CORNER FORT & BROAD STS.,

OPENED TO-DAY.

Look out for the Bargain list to be published to-morrow in Cashmeres, Jerseys, Silks, Ladies' Merino Vests.

All to be sold at prices

VICTORIA THEATRE

Grand Opening Performances.

Friday and Saturday Evenings, 16th and 17th October.

SULLIVAN'S BURLESQUE OPERA

Pirates of Penzance!

Tickets may be procured at Charles Morton's Book Store, Government street, where plan of house for reserving seats will be on view from 10 a.m. on Tuesday morning daily.

Prices of admission—Dress Circle, $1.50, Parquette, $1.25; Gallery, $1.

Auction sale of Boxes on Wednesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the Colonist building, Government street. oct12

THEATRE COMIQUE.

GRAND OPENING.

This Temple of Amusement Will Open on

Wednesday, Oct. 14th, 1885,

WITH A FIRST CLASS

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ADMISSION $1 00
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Reserved Seats without extra charge at Waitt's Music Store.

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Call and examine goods and be satisfied.

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$500 Reward.

THE above reward will be paid to the party or parties who have been killing our calves running on range between

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And a further reward of Fifty Dollars for arrest and conviction of the party or parties who cut our stake ropes during the first week of September, 1885.

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October 7, 1885. oct7m

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Men's Boys and Children's suits in great variety and at each

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200 BARRELS NO. 1 SALMON,

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NEW TO-DAY.

Municipal Notice.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 4 p. m. on

Wednesday next, 14th inst.,

FOR CERTAIN

Repairs to Retaining Wall and City Landing.

Plans and specification of the work can be seen daily at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

City Hall, October 10, 1885. oct12

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Victoria until 4 p. m. on Saturday, the 7th November, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails twice per week each way between

Chilliwhack and New Westminster

during the winter season of 1885 and 1886. Contract to be made in a months.

Commencing when the steamers discontinue their regular trips in the Fall and ending when the steamers begin their regular trips in the Spring. To leave Chilliwhack early on the mornings of Mondays and Fridays, and proceed to New Westminster with all dispatch. Returning, to leave New Westminster early on the mornings of Tuesdays and Saturdays, and to proceed to Chilliwhack with all dispatch.

Object tender to state the price asked per trip.

Printed notice containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices at Chilliwhack, Sumas, Upper Sumas, Abbotsford, Langley Prairie and New Westminster, and at the office of the subscriber.

E. H. FLETCHER,
P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 8th September, 1885. oct12

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Victoria until 4 p. m. on Saturday, the 7th November, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's mails, on a proposed contract for four years, once per week each way between

Douglas Lake and Quilchena,

from 1st January next.

The conveyance to be made on horseback or in a vehicle, at the option of the contractor.

To leave Douglas Lake every Tuesday morning, deliver the mail at Quilchena with all dispatch, and get back to Douglas Lake with return mail by the evening of the same day.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Douglas Lake and Quilchena and at this office.

E. H. FLETCHER,
Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, B. C., 9th October, 1885. oct12

Bowling Alley.

Healthy Exercise—Pleasant Pastime. Cheap Amusement.

MR. JAS. BAKER invites the public to his new bowling alley on

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Where a pleasant hour may be passed in a sociable and healthful way. Come one! Come all! oct11 1m

NOTICE.

Tenders will be received

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Up to noon of the tenth day of October instant, subject to her liens and engagements. Registered tonnage, 27 tons.

Further particulars to be had on application.

☞ Terms cash.

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Dated October 5th, 1885. oct5

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All kinds of Jobbing promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed.

Charges Moderate.

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The fast sailing Barque

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CAPT. DELANO.

Will take three or four passengers at $100 each and will call from Victoria on or about Tuesday next, 13th October.

Apply to WELCH, RITHET & CO., oct9 Agents.

ESQUIMALT HOTEL.

IT HAVING been reported that the small-pox was in the above hotel, the undersigned wishes to distinctly state that there is no sickness whatever in the house.

J. H. BROWN,
In charge of the hotel.

Oct. 8th, 1885.

Great Scott! What an Offer!

A First-Class Upright Piano

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FOR ONE DOLLAR!

Tickets to be had from J. S. FATTERSON, at SOMERVILLE MUSIC STORE, Fort (NEW STORE), and THE TIMES office. Tickets mailed to the country on receipt of One Dollar.

The Prize will be thrown off at

A GRAND CONCERT

Under the auspices of the

St. Andrews & Caledonia Society,

Of which due notice will be given.

PROCEEDS

In Aid of the Royal Hospital.

JOHN BOYD, President.
JAS. RUSSELL, Secretary. oct3

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A MALE TEACHER is wanted in the Primary department of Nanaimo College, New Westminster. Must be competent and have good teaching ability. Apply stating references and grade of license held to

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From the French, English & American Markets.

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Seasonable Hats in all shapes
Beaver Hats and Bonnets, in all Colors
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New Shootings	New Gloves	New Underclothing
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CITY OF VICTORIA.

MUNICIPAL

REAL ESTATE TAX.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Resolution of the Municipal Council, all Real Estate Tax remaining unpaid on and after the 31st day of October instant, will bear, and be chargeable with, interest at the rate of one per cent per month until paid.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Collector.

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., 10th Oct., 1885. oct10

HAVANA CIGARS.

A FURTHER SHIPMENT OF

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Regalia Imperial, Regalia Chica, Regalia de Londres, Regalia de la Reina, Conchitas.

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Underwriters' Sale.

WE have received instructions from Captain John Richardson to sell by public auction, for account of whom it may concern, on

Friday, October 23rd, 1885,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

On the C. P. N. Company's Wharf,

The Condemned British Bark

"ROBERT KERR,"

1101 TONS.

As she now lies afloat in Coal Harbor in Burrard Inlet, having been stranded on San Juan Island, together with Masts, Yards, Sails, Standing and Running Rigging, Chains, Anchors, etc.

Immediately Afterwards,

We will sell the Robert Kerr's Boats, spare Suit of Sails, large lot of Stores, Crockery, Cutlery, Paints, Oils, Shovels, Yellow Metal, 6½ coils Manilla Rope (2 to 4 inches), Oakum, Canvas, Twine, 2 Patent Logs, Fog Horns, Medicine Chest, Clock, Telescopes, Binoculars, Barometer, Chronometer, Flags.

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